

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend paragraph [0054] in the published application as follows.

HEK-293s cells expressing the $G_{\alpha 16}$ protein (Molecular Devices, Sunnyvale, CA), or wild type cells, were transfected with a mammalian expression construct coding for the human FPRL-1 (pGENIRESneo vector) using FuGENE (Roche Diagnostics Corp, Indianapolis, IN). A stable receptor pool of FPRL-1 was developed by applying an antibiotic selection (G418, 1 mg/ml) and the cells were maintained in this selection medium. The expression and functional linkage of FPRL-1 was assessed by assaying the intracellular Ca^{2+} concentration ($[Ca^{2+}]_i$) using W-peptide (Trp-Lys-Tyr-~~Met~~-Val-Met-NH₂ (WKYMVM)) (SEQ ID NO:1) or its isoform (Trp-Lys-Tyr-~~Met~~-Val-D-Met-NH₂) (WKYMDVM)) from Phoenix Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (Belmont, CA).

Please append the Sequence Listing provided herewith to the end of the instant specification.